



Cyrus Beale Lightfoot

May 4, 1930 - September 13, 2013

Cyrus Lightfoot of Henrico County, Virginia departed this life on Friday, September 13, 2013 at The Lexington Court Rehabilitation and Nursing Facility.

Cyrus was born on May 4, 1930 in Richmond Virginia to the late Floyd and Juanita Lightfoot. He was preceded in death by his beloved wife, Martha Lightfoot of 36 years and five brothers, Floyd Lightfoot, Herman Lightfoot, James Lightfoot, Harold Lightfoot and Daniel Lightfoot; a sister Alyce Hicks.

He received his education in the Richmond Public School Systems. Upon graduation he served in the United States Army during the Korean Conflict and was awarded the United Nations Service Medal and the Korean Service Medal with a Bronze Star. Cyrus was honorably discharged in 1952 as a Corporal. After completing his military services, he was employed with the United States Postal Service for more than 34 years until his retirement.

Cyrus accepted Christ as his savior at an early age and was baptized at St. John's United Holy Church of America. He later rededicated his life to Christ and became a faithful member of the Ashland Christian Center where he served until his death.

Cyrus, fondly called "DeeDee" enjoyed many hobbies. He was an avid

gardener, a sports enthusiast and a jazz music aficionado. He also enjoyed entertaining family and friends with his legendary cookouts and dinner parties.

He leaves to cherish his memory two sons Sean Lightfoot Sr. (Aria); George Barnes (Debra); three daughters, Linda Waytes, Gale Brickhouse (William); Danita Barnes-Jones (Theo) two sisters, Evelyn Richardson and Shirley Thomas; nine grandchildren, Sean Jr. Lightfoot, Nieko Lightfoot, Cheyenne Lightfoot, Cyrus Lightfoot, Christopher Lightfoot, Devon Chavarria, Cameron Brickhouse, Jonathan Brickhouse and Georgette Waytes; three great-grandchildren; Amari Lightfoot, Cecilia Lightfoot and Jordan Waytes ; a brother-in-law, Edward Hicks; devoted nephews , James Richardson, (Sheila), David DeBerry (Doris), John Mason (Cynthia) devoted nieces, Lisa Hicks-Thomas (Sam), Sharon Jackson, Yolanda Robinson and a host of nieces, nephews and cousins.

Cemetery Details

Virginia Veterans Cemetery at Amelia

10300 Pridesville Road
Amelia, VA 23002

Previous Events

Public Viewing

SEP 17. 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Home -Laburnum Chapel
2110 E. Laburnum Ave.
Richmond, VA 23222

Family Hour

SEP 17. 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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Service

SEP 18. 11:00 AM (ET)

Ashland Christian Center
12230 Maple St.
Ashland, VA 23005

Tribute Wall



“ *Cyrus Beale Lightfoot*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *We the March Family and Staff wish to extend our deepest and heartfelt sympathy in the passing of your loved one. Our prayers go out to you and your family in your time of loss. We know and understand that you have received many expressions of love and we will continue to lift you up in prayer. May the memories you cherish of brighter and happier days help to ease your sorrow and comfort you always.*

March Funeral Homes - September 16, 2013 at 01:05 PM

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To the Lightfoot Family. May God Bless and Keep you all at this difficult time. Cherish the memories of your family member and know at John 5:28-29 in the Bible, you will see him again.

Jean - September 19, 2013 at 07:20 AM